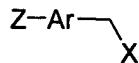


*In the claims:*

1. **(currently amended)** A compound represented by general structure 50:



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wherein

X represents Cl, Br, I, OTf, OTs, ONf, OMs;

Z represents Cl, Br, or I; and

Ar represents an optionally substituted monocyclic or polycyclic aryl or heteroaryl group, wherein  $\text{CH}_2\text{X}$  and Z are bonded to the same aromatic ring of Ar.

2. **(original)** The compound of claim 1, wherein Ar represents optionally substituted phenyl.
3. **(canceled)**
4. **(original)** The compound of claim 1, wherein Z represents Cl or Br.
5. **(canceled)**
6. **(original)** The compound of claim 1, wherein Ar represents optionally substituted phenyl; and Z represents Cl or Br.

Claims 7-41 **(canceled)**